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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 the following patents and/or publications are disclosed to the Office:

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U.S. Patent No. 5,792,122 (Brimhall et al.), dated August 11, 1998;


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As per the Notice in 1273 OG 55 (August 5, 2003) no copies of any above-mentioned U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications are submitted for any application filed after June 30, 2003.

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